

**HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

A-5. Employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population 25 years and over by educational attainment, seasonally adjusted
[Numbers in thousands]

Educational attainment	2010					2011							
	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
Less than a high school diploma													
Civilian labor force.....	11,815	11,828	11,800	11,803	11,758	11,383	11,317	11,652	11,567	11,442	11,392	11,704	11,664
Participation rate.....	46.4	46.7	47.0	46.6	46.0	45.1	45.5	46.1	45.5	45.1	45.0	46.9	46.7
Employed.....	10,143	10,003	9,995	9,955	9,963	9,770	9,749	10,059	9,876	9,757	9,768	9,952	10,002
Employment-population ratio.....	39.8	39.5	39.8	39.3	39.0	38.7	39.2	39.8	38.9	38.5	38.6	39.9	40.0
Unemployed.....	1,673	1,824	1,805	1,848	1,795	1,613	1,568	1,593	1,691	1,685	1,624	1,752	1,663
Unemployment rate.....	14.2	15.4	15.3	15.7	15.3	14.2	13.9	13.7	14.6	14.7	14.3	15.0	14.3
High school graduates, no college¹													
Civilian labor force.....	38,266	38,151	38,051	37,824	38,203	37,513	37,525	37,171	37,506	37,653	37,612	37,505	36,956
Participation rate.....	61.9	61.9	61.6	61.1	60.9	60.3	60.3	60.0	60.4	60.4	60.6	60.6	60.0
Employed.....	34,352	34,331	34,225	34,035	34,465	33,972	33,965	33,654	33,881	34,072	33,836	34,006	33,425
Employment-population ratio.....	55.5	55.7	55.4	55.0	54.9	54.6	54.6	54.4	54.6	54.6	54.5	54.9	54.3
Unemployed.....	3,915	3,820	3,826	3,789	3,738	3,541	3,560	3,517	3,626	3,581	3,775	3,499	3,531
Unemployment rate.....	10.2	10.0	10.1	10.0	9.8	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.5	10.0	9.3	9.6
Some college or associate degree													
Civilian labor force.....	37,065	37,115	37,120	37,037	36,809	36,841	36,784	36,653	36,637	36,780	36,786	36,686	37,013
Participation rate.....	70.5	70.5	70.0	69.8	70.2	70.2	69.5	69.7	69.7	69.7	69.8	68.9	69.2
Employed.....	33,850	33,746	33,972	33,832	33,821	33,878	33,919	33,938	33,907	33,852	33,708	33,657	33,975
Employment-population ratio.....	64.4	64.1	64.0	63.8	64.5	64.6	64.1	64.6	64.5	64.1	63.9	63.2	63.5
Unemployed.....	3,215	3,369	3,148	3,205	2,988	2,963	2,865	2,715	2,730	2,928	3,079	3,028	3,038
Unemployment rate.....	8.7	9.1	8.5	8.7	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.4	7.5	8.0	8.4	8.3	8.2
Bachelor's degree and higher²													
Civilian labor force.....	45,677	46,488	46,132	46,322	46,312	46,263	46,591	46,919	46,897	46,925	46,963	46,680	46,813
Participation rate.....	75.8	76.5	76.1	76.6	76.9	76.4	76.9	76.9	77.0	77.5	76.8	76.1	76.0
Employed.....	43,574	44,405	43,971	43,952	44,095	44,322	44,588	44,843	44,789	44,807	44,894	44,677	44,808
Employment-population ratio.....	72.3	73.0	72.6	72.7	73.2	73.2	73.6	73.5	73.5	74.0	73.4	72.9	72.7
Unemployed.....	2,103	2,083	2,161	2,370	2,217	1,941	2,003	2,076	2,109	2,118	2,069	2,003	2,005
Unemployment rate.....	4.6	4.5	4.7	5.1	4.8	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.3

1 Includes persons with a high school diploma or equivalent.

2 Includes persons with bachelor's, master's, professional, and doctoral degrees.

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.